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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Andry et al. Docket: YOR920010100US2
(8728-493DIV)
Serial No: Unassigned
Filed: Concurrently herewith
For: **TILTED VERTICAL ALIGNMENT OF LIQUID CRYSTALS
EMPLOYING INORGANIC THIN FILM COMPOSITION
AND ION BEAM TREATMENT**

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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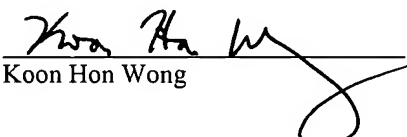
Cross-Reference to Related Application

This application is a divisional of the U.S. Application Serial No. 09/877,803 filed
on June 7, 2001, the disclosure of which in its entirety is incorporated by reference herein.

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